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In accordance with the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371 dated <u>September 6, 2005</u>, a copy of which is attached, enclosed herewith for filing are the following documents:

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	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.			
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